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## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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**PRESENT POSITION:** Oceanographer (Research)

**DISCIPLINE:** Biological Oceanography

**EDUCATION:**

B. S., Natural Resource Management and Applied Ecology, Cook College,  
Rutgers University, 1989

M. S., Oceanography, Old Dominion University, 1992

Ph.D., Biological Oceanography, Old Dominion University, 1997

## **PROFESSIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE**

2002-Present      Oceanographer (Research), Fisheries Resources Division  
National Marine Fisheries Service  
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2000- 2002      Self-Supporting Research Scientist  
Center for Quantitative Fisheries Ecology  
Old Dominion University  
Norfolk, VA.

1997- 2000      Post-Doctoral Fellow, Fisheries Oceanography  
Departments of Oceanography and Biology  
Dalhousie University  
Halifax, NS, Canada

1996      Graduate Summer Intern  
New York City Department of Environmental Protection  
Marine Science Section  
New York, NY

1991-1996      Teaching and Research Assistant Department of Oceanography  
Old Dominion University  
Norfolk, VA

1989-1991	Librarian/Technician, the Hudson River Foundation for Science and Environmental Research, Inc. New York, NY
1989	Summer Research Internship, Horn Point Environmental Laboratory, Cambridge, MD.
1988	Summer Intern, New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, Bureau of Shell-Fisheries, Bivalve, NJ

## **RESEARCH AREAS**

I am interested in determining how physical oceanographic processes and hydrographic features interact with biological processes to determine the outcome of life history events that ultimately affect survival and recruitment to juvenile stages and habitats.

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:**

American Geophysical Union

## **ACADEMIC SUPERVISION:**

Eric Robillard. 2001- present. Age-specific fecundity of bluefish, *Pomatomus saltatrix* along the east coast of the U.S. Dept. of Biology, Old Dominion University, Norfolk, VA. M.S. student. (Supervisor).

Erik Davenport. 2001-present. Influence of submarine canyons on the horizontal and vertical distributions of zooplankton at the shelf-slope interface. Morgan State University, Baltimore, MD. M.S. student (Co-Supervisor with L. Marshall).

Erin E. Arnold. 1998-1999. Increase in larval crabs in relation to the decrease in groundfish biomass on the Scotian Shelf, 1977-1998. Honors BSc. Biology, Dalhousie University, Halifax. (Co-Supervisor with C. T. Taggart).

David Goddard. 1997-1998. Capelin distributions on the Scotian Shelf. Honors BSc. Biology, Dalhousie University, Halifax. (Co-Supervisor with C. T. Taggart).

Jennifer Jeffrey. 1997-2000. Oceanographic variability and otolith growth of silver hake (*Merluccius bilinearis*) larvae from Western Bank. M.Sc. Dept. of Oceanography, Dalhousie University, Halifax, NS. (Informal advisor and invited participant of thesis committee).

## **TITLE OF DISSERTATION:**

Influence of physical processes on the spatial distribution of ichthyoplankton across the Chesapeake Bay plume.

## REFEREED PUBLICATIONS:

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1. G. G. Panteleev, N. A. Maximenko, B. deYoung, C. S. Reiss, and T. Yamagata. (2002). Variational interpolation of circulation with nonlinear, advective smoothing. (*J. Atmos. Oceanic Tech.* 19:1442-1450).
2. Reiss, C. S., A. Anis, C. T. Taggart, J. F. Dower, and B. Ruddick. (2002). Relationships among vertically structured *in situ* measures of turbulence, larval fish, their feeding success, and copepods on Western Bank, Scotian Shelf. *Fish. Oceanogr.* 11(2):1-20.
3. Panteleev, G. G., deYoung, Luneva, M., Semenov, E. V. and Reiss, C. S. 2001. Modelling the circulation on the Scotian Shelf through sequential application of a variational algorithm and a non-linear diagnostic model. *Journal of Geophysical Research*, May 2001).
4. Reiss, C. S., G. G. Panteleev, J. Sheng, C. T. Taggart, B. deYoung. (2000) Observations on larval fish transport and retention on the Scotian Shelf in relation to geostrophic circulation. *Fish. Oceanogr.* 9(3):195-213.
5. G. G. Panteleev, N. A. Maximenko, B. deYoung, C. S. Reiss, and T. Yamagata (2000). Anisotropic optimization of the current field with the variational method. *Oceanology.* 40(4):451-457.
6. Reiss, C. S., I. A. McLaren, and P. Avendaño. (1999). The utility of lipid volume estimates in determining recent trophic history in late-stage copepodids. *Can. J. Fish. Aquat. Sci.* 56(12):2444-2449.
7. Reiss, C. S. and J. R. McConaughy. (1999) Cross-frontal transport and distribution of ichthyoplankton in Virginia Shelf waters associated with Chesapeake Bay plume dynamics. *Cont. Shelf Res.* 19(2):151-170.
8. Reiss, C. S., Stephenson, R. L., Power, M. J., and Taggart, C. T. Oceanographic influences on the advection and retention of Scotian Shelf spawned Atlantic herring (*Clupea harengus*) larvae. (In revision: *Canadian Journal of Fisheries and Aquatic Sciences*, June 2002).
9. Reiss, C. S., McLaren I. A. and Avendaño, P. Horizontal and vertical distribution patterns, retention rates and population dynamics of zooplankton on Western Bank, Scotian Shelf. (Submitted to *Canadian Journal of Fisheries and Aquatic Sciences* Sept. 2002).
10. Panteleev, B. deYoung, C. S. Reiss and C. T. Taggart. Passive tracer reconstruction as a least squares problem with a semi-lagrangian constraint: an application to fish eggs and larvae (in revision *Journal of Marine Research* October 2002).

## MANUSCRIPTS IN PREPARATION:

Hare, J.A., Thorrold, S.R., Walsh, H. Reiss, C. S., Valle-Levinson, A., and Jones, C.M. Bio physical mechanisms of larval fish ingress into Chesapeake Bay. (In. Prep.).

Reiss, C. S., McLaren, I. A. Avendaño, P., and Taggart, C. T. Spatio-temporal patterns of the feeding ecology of Silver hake larvae (*Merluccius bilinearis*) on the Scotian Shelf. (In. prep.).